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ARRIVES	TRAIN	DEPARTS
	SOUTHERN PACIFIC	
8:50 pm	No 4, Eastbound Express	8:55 pm
7:50 am	No 6, Eastbound Fast Mail	8:00 am
7:23 pm	No 2, Eastbound Limited	7:25 pm
5:40 pm	No 5, Westbound Express	5:43 pm
1:20 pm	No 3, Westbound Fast Mail	1:25 pm
8:50 am	No 1, Westbound Limited	8:35 am
	VIRGINIA AND TRUCKEE	
8:00 pm	No 1, Virginia Express	8:35 am
	No 2, San Francisco Ex	
11:40 pm	No 3, Local Passenger	1:35 pm
	No 4, Local Passenger	



In effect, Tuesday, December 4, 1900.

NO. 1.	NO. 2.
9:00 a. m. Lv. ... Reno ... Ar 5:00 p. m.	
11:35 a. m. Ar. ... Plumas ... Ar 2:20 p. m.	
11:45 a. m. Lv. ... Plumas ... Ar 2:20 p. m.	
2:30 p. m. Ar. ... Amedee ... Ar 11:30 a. m.	
6:20 p. m. At ... Terre ... Lv 8:00 a. m.	

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V. P. and G. M., G. F. and P. A.

POSTOFFICE HOURS

From 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. Sunday 9 to 10 a. m.

Buffalo Meadows and Sheephead mail arrive Tuesday at 5:00 p. m. and closes Friday at 1:35 p. m.

Virginia & Truckee locked pouch from Virginia and Carson arrives at 11:45 a. m.; mail for same closes at 9:30 a. m.

### FIFTY-CENT COLUMN.

All classes of legitimate advertisements not exceeding six lines inserted in this column at 50 cents per week.

ound.

Near Hymers stable, an overcoat for boy 5 or 6 years of age. Pay for this ad. and get overcoat at stable. 8dft

Samples Received.

I have just received an entire line of new samples in topline, pearl de soire and luxor, crystals, crepe, meteore, bengaline, crepe de chine, taffetas, velvets, and up to date dress goods. Rooms 3 and 4, 220 Virginia St.

MRS. K. KNOWLES,

111 W. Agent C. A. Stevens & Bros, Chicago.

Pianos and Organs

Tuned and repaired by the celebrated W. T. Sharp, piano maker and tuner for over thirty years. Prof. Sharp is a master mechanic and fully guarantees all work or no pay. Leave orders at Brockins store. 99c

Reward for Strayed Stock.

Two black and white dehorned yearling steers. Been missing since July. Cross out of each ear. Brand, half circle C on left hip. Call on George Christensen, Verdi, with information and receive reward. 25c

The Owl Lunch Kitchen.

Will sell to private families between 11 and 12:30 five-pound bucket of fine cooked sour-kraut and five pair Frankfurters for 25 cents. Spanish and Mexican beans. Choice soups served at all hours nightly. 25c

Wood For Sale.

Robert Eason & Sons have opened a wood-yard at the east end of Fourth street. Orders left at A. Nelson's cigar store will receive prompt attention. Lime wood, \$5.50 per cord; split wood, \$5.75. No better wood on the market. nov 1900

Property for Sale.

The stone blacksmith shop, known as Luke's, now occupied by R. L. Buncel, is offered for sale. For particulars inquire on premises. 16ntf

To Trade.

A fine home of six rooms, cellar, store-house and good yard, worth \$1,500, for good home in Reno. Also a good stock of old wines and liquors and fixtures to start business in the best mining town in Utah, near Salt Lake City, to trade for business property in Reno or improved ranch near Reno. Inquire at this office. 6ntf

### MINING Location Blanks

Complete in every detail. Easy to fill out. Miners and prospectors will find them just what they are looking for. Five cents each; sent to any address postpaid.

The Nevada State Journal

### The Quaker Doctors.

The Quaker Doctors have established a permanent office in Reno at the Golden Eagle Hotel, and the Old Quaker Doctor in charge with a lady assistant. Office hours from 10 to 12 a. m. and from 2 to 5 p. m. Consultation free. Special treatment for women. 202f

### E. SMOTHERS

#### Real Estate and Insurance Agt.

#### Choice City and Country Property Handled.

#### Rents Collected.

#### Will Sell You a Lot and Build You a House.

OFFICE WITH SHUFELT AND BILEY, no 15

## PYRAMID HOUSE.

East Side S. P. Depot, Reno, Nevada

Chas. J. Frisch PROP

#### BEER AND LUNCH HALL

Nevada Agency for BUFFALO LAGER and RUHSTALLER GILDED EDGE beers.

Bowling Alley and shooting gallery, attached. Telephone, Red, 98. se7tf

### An Exact Likeness

The greatest trouble most photographers experience is getting EXACT LIKENESS. Here where modern appliances come to the rescue. The RIVERSIDE STUDIO is the most up-to-date on the Pacific Coast; the fixtures are all MODERN and none but EXPERIENCED ARTISTS are employed. You can rest assured that if your photograph work is done at the Riverside Studio it will be finished in an artistic manner.

NEVADA'S ART CENTER

The Riverside Studio, 202 Virginia St., Reno, Nevada

## BUY THE GENUINE SYRUP OF FIGS

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NOTE THE NAME.

### Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF THE JUDGE OF THE SECOND DISTRICT COURT MADE AND ON THE 28TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1900, IN THE MATTER OF THE GUARDSHIP OF GENEVA HOFFMANN, A MINOR, THE UNDERSIGNED GUARDIAN OF THE PERSON AND ESTATE OF SAID MINOR WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH, SUBJECT TO THE CONDITIONS OF THE SAID COURT, ON FRIDAY, THE 21ST DAY OF DECEMBER, 1900, AT NOON, ON THAT DAY, AT THE DOOR OF THE COURT HOUSE IN RENO, NEVADA, AN UNDIVIDED ONE-EIGHTH INTEREST PART AND SHARE IN AND TO THE NORTH HALF OF LOT 6, AND LOTS 6, 7 AND 8, IN BLOCK 6, IN ADDITION TO THE TOWN OF RENO, WASHOE COUNTY, NEVADA, WITH BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THEREON, BELONGING TO THE SAME BEING ALL THE RIGHT, TITLE AND INTEREST OF THE SAID MINOR IN THE PROPERTY ABOVE DESCRIBED, AND IN THE PROPERTY ON WHICH IS SITUATED, WHAT IS KNOWN AS THE WASHOE BREWERY, RENO, NEVADA, IN CASH IN HAND. PHILLIPINA HOFFMANN, Guardian. Dated this 28th day of November, 1900.

### TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

STATE LAND OFFICE, CARSON CITY, NEVADA. October 22, 1900.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE STATE OF NEVADA, UNDER THE ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED JUNE 16, 1890, (21 STAT. 151) AND ON THE 28TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1900, IN THE MATTER OF THE GUARDSHIP OF GENEVA HOFFMANN, A MINOR, THE UNDERSIGNED GUARDIAN OF THE PERSON AND ESTATE OF SAID MINOR WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH, SUBJECT TO THE CONDITIONS OF THE SAID COURT, ON FRIDAY, THE 21ST DAY OF DECEMBER, 1900, AT NOON, ON THAT DAY, AT THE DOOR OF THE COURT HOUSE IN RENO, NEVADA, AN UNDIVIDED ONE-EIGHTH INTEREST PART AND SHARE IN AND TO THE NORTH HALF OF LOT 6, AND LOTS 6, 7 AND 8, IN BLOCK 6, IN ADDITION TO THE TOWN OF RENO, WASHOE COUNTY, NEVADA, WITH BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THEREON, BELONGING TO THE SAME BEING ALL THE RIGHT, TITLE AND INTEREST OF THE SAID MINOR IN THE PROPERTY ABOVE DESCRIBED, AND IN THE PROPERTY ON WHICH IS SITUATED, WHAT IS KNOWN AS THE WASHOE BREWERY, RENO, NEVADA, IN CASH IN HAND. PHILLIPINA HOFFMANN, Guardian. Dated this 28th day of November, 1900.

E. D. KELLEY,

State Land Register of the State of Nevada. Date of first insertion October 24, 1900. 61st

### HERE YOU ARE!

#### DELICIOUS HOT LUNCH

Served every day at

#### SACRAMENTO BEER HALL.

No. 11, Commercial Row.

### Corkscrew Seed.

There are some seeds which "literally corkscrew themselves into the ground." The most remarkable instance is perhaps that of the Spina pannata, a beautiful south European grass. The actual seed is small, with a sharp point and stiff short hairs pointing backward. The top end of the seed is produced into a fine, twisted, corkscrew-like rod, which is followed by a plain cylindrical portion, ending in a long, delicate feather, the whole being more than a foot in length. Owing to this feather the seed falls to the earth point downward and sticks in the ground.

But even if the seed should settle on its side, damp, by acting on the hairs attached to it, causes it to rise up till its point is downward. If a shower comes on or dew falls, the spiral unwinds, elongating itself upward. Being covered, like the seed, with backward pointing hairs, it usually presses against some blade of grass or other obstacle, with the result that the seed is pressed into the ground.

On the spiral becoming dry again, it curls up, and the seed is not drawn out of the ground owing to its backward pointing hairs, but the spiral and the feather are easily drawn down. On the return of damp the spiral again unwinds and, acting as before, drives the seed still farther down until at last it is quite buried.

How Br'er Rabbit Beat Br'er Fox. One day Br'er Fox was hungry. As he wandered about the woods he saw a squirrel upon the branch of a tall tree. "Hello, Br'er Squirrel!" he said. "Hello, Br'er Fox!" replied the squirrel.

Then said Br'er Fox: "I once had a brother who could jump from limb to limb." "So can I," replied Br'er Squirrel. "Let me see you," said the fox. So the squirrel jumped from limb to limb.

"Br'er Squirrel, I have a brother who can jump from tree to tree." "I can too," said the squirrel. "So Br'er Squirrel jumped from tree to tree.

"Br'er Squirrel, I had a brother who could jump from the top of a tall tree right into my arms." "I can too," said the squirrel. "So Br'er Fox ate him all up.

Br'er Rabbit was lying in his bed near by and saw all that was done. "Br'er Fox," said he, "your a mighty smart man, but I had a brother who could do something you cannot do."

"What was it?" said Br'er Fox.

"My brother could let anybody tie a large rock around his neck and jump off this bridge into the water and swim out." "So can I," said the fox. Then Br'er Rabbit fixed the rock and the string, and Br'er Fox jumped, but he has not been heard of since.—American Folk Lore.

A Couple of Shocks. "Where have you been, Mr. Rocky?" demanded the boss.

"Oh, sir," replied Rocky mendacious, "my landlady is a most excellent woman, and she has been so ill that I had to stay at home to nurse her."

This excuse went, and the boss turned away. The following day Rocky felt as bad as ever. The next day he had a headache as long as a rainy Sunday in the country developed. He staid at home, sending the excuse that his landlady was dead and he had to attend the funeral. Later in the day a woman entered the bookstore and inquired about Mr. Rocky.

"The reason I came here," she explained, "is because I am his landlady, and not having seen him for a week I became uneasy and called to inquire about him."

"His landlady!" gasped the boss. "Why, woman, he's attending your funeral this very day and has been nursing you for a week."

It was a shock to the poor woman to find she was dead, but a shock of another sort struck Rocky when he came back to work. It was his funeral that time.—Louisville Times.

Distinctions In Being Kicked.

The Arabs, clever horsemen as they are, are quite as liable to accident as English grooms. But the Arab likes to be kicked by a thoroughbred horse and cannot endure to be put to any pain by an animal whose pedigree is at all defective. An English surgeon had been setting the broken leg of an Arab who complained more of the accident that had befallen him than was thought becoming in one of his tribe. This the surgeon remarked to him, and his answer was truly characteristic. "Do you think, doctor, I should have uttered a word of complaint if my own high bred colt in a playful kick had broken both my legs? But to have a bone broken by a brute of a jackass is too bad, and I will complain!"

Parried the Thrust.

A lady had in her employ an excellent girl who had one fault. Her face was always in a smudge. Her mistress tried, without offending, to tell her to wash her face and at last resorted to strategy.

"Do you know, Bridget," she remarked in a confidential manner, "it is said that if you wash the face every day in hot, soapy water it will make you beautiful?"

"Will it?" said Bridget. "Sure, it's a wonder ye never tried it, ma'am!"—Our Dumb Animals.

Got the Change.

"Why were you tempted to steal this man's purse?"

"Because my doctor recommended me to take a little change."

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1900

THAT BILL ASKING HALF A MILLION

A dispatch appeared in yesterday's JOURNAL, stating that congressman Newlands had introduced a bill in the House to appropriate over half a million for storage dams on the Humboldt. There is not a river in the State containing a like amount or more water than the Humboldt, whose waters will irrigate a like area as the waters of the Humboldt will irrigate. There should be no jealousy over the selection of the Humboldt river for government storage purposes for at least two reasons—one of which is the amount of land that can be irrigated by the waters in the river, and the other reason arises out of the one given and is in the test which will be made by these dams of the irrigation problem. The river is approximately four hundred miles in length and runs through a part of the State containing a large amount of land subject to cultivation when water to irrigate it can be secured. The surface formation of the country the river flows over is not peculiar to that part of the State, but in its extent it represents one of the arid problems of the basin, which has an explanation in the porous soils of the valley, which permits the waters flowing over them to go to bedrock where it continues to flow till it again appears at some point where the rock formation brings it to the surface if it is not received by the rocks through defects caused by the original elevation or upheaval of the basin to its present level.

It may be there is not a stream in the world of like extent that has so few tributaries upon the surface of the earth as the Humboldt, and it may be also true that there is not a river on the earth that flows through a like extent of desert country which retains its waters so well as the Humboldt.

The rule of absorptives of waters by the valleys in general seems to be reversed when applied to the Humboldt river, which has as explanation in the fact that the valley over which the river flows is a basin containing water from the bedrock to the surface of the ground in the larger part of the valley.

The basin theory is explained by the fact that the tributary waters from the mountains about the Humboldt Valley go to the bedrock and flow on it, which accounts for the few streams there are flowing to the river on the surface of the ground.

Nature, like man, has its economies and the preservation of water in a desert country is one of them. The waters go to the bedrock and flow on it, which arrests evaporation that would rapidly exhaust any water supply there is in arid regions were it not so. The waters that flow to the Humboldt river on the bedrock are not exhausted by evaporation, which explains the continued flow in strong volume of the river through a desert country.

There are remains of artesian systems still to be seen that flowed in the deserts of Arabia three thousand years ago. French engineers have made the Great Sahara blossom with roses and fruit trees by means of irrigation derived from nature's storage in and over the bedrocks, where the waters are protected from evaporation. The waters of the Humboldt may be used many times over to fertilize the surface of the earth along its course, as each time it is taken from the river to fertilize the sagebrush plains it will pass to the bedrock and return to the river.

No such extent of country is to be found elsewhere in the State possessed of like opportunities for advantages for a government test as there are on the Humboldt. Should Mr. Newlands succeed in making it appear to the majority in Congress that the appropriation sought is strictly a commercial transaction with agriculturists on the side, he may get away with the half million, but the chief difficulty in the way will be his speech on silver at the last session.

## A REBELLION BY PORTO RICANS.

It looks very much like the Porto Ricans went into rebellion near San Francisco, where force could not be applied with like results as given when applied in less popular sections on the line of the railroad. The slaves, which they were while under the direction of an overseer on the train, seemed to gather from some source more courage as time passed, and particularly as they approached San Francisco bay.

It is claimed by some people that the San Francisco Examiner was in the row in a way that brought about the rebellion, which, if true, it is now making amends honorable by caring for the destitute people, which is very much like the way the Examiner people do things. There is nothing small about Hearst when humanity is in demand. He does not turn his back on the poor, or upon those in distress when relief is required. He is a noble fellow.

## After-Climax Looked For.

Charles Romelli, who was found guilty of assault with a deadly weapon, was fined \$1000 yesterday. The amount was forbidding. It is rumored that the incident is not yet closed. Charge and counter-charge of perjury may be brought by the two principals in the case.

## SAGEBRUSH OCCURRENCES

## What Nevada Papers Say About Happenings in This State.

The pension of James D. Harnes, a Mexican war veteran, has been increased to \$12.

Miss Gregory, niece of Jerry Bray of this city and until recently one of the proprietors of the Bodie Miner, was married a few days ago to James Sherwin.—Report.

The Silver State and other eastern Nevada papers failed to chronicle a wreck on the S. P. Saturday or Sunday. The trainmen should be severely reprimanded for allowing such a day of even tenor.—Appeal.

Governor Sather has appointed L. L. Bradley of Death, John Sparks of Reno, and John Wright of Elko to represent Nevada at the meeting of the National Livestock Association to be held at Salt Lake, January 15 to 18, 1901.

The Commissioners of White Pine county have refused to count the votes in the contest case of Comius vs. Greene for the State Senate. Mr. Greene protested against any person handling the ballots unless upon an order from a court of competent jurisdiction or upon a resolution of the State Senate. The Commissioners decided that the protest was well taken and suspended proceedings.

## MINES AND MINING

## News of Nevada's Leading Industry Clipped From Exchanges.

The Tuscarora-Dexter company last week shipped bullion and cyanide to the value of \$18,000.—Times Review.

A rich strike of gold is reported from Ely, in the Oro quartz claims. Pieces of free milling gold as large as a gold dollar are shown in the specimens, and the ore is very rich.

Returns were received this week from the shipment of eleven and a half tons of ore recently made by the Bald Mountain Copper Company from their newly located claims on Bald Mountain, and they proved an agreeable surprise to the company, says the Sentinel.

## Alleged Wit of Sam P. Davis.

Sam P. Davis spoke recently at the Forty Club of Chicago, while club includes all the prominent brainy men of the second largest city on the Western hemisphere. He makes a hit. He is reported in part as follows:

Although no one wanted to believe him at first, Mr. Davis said he was the son of a clergyman, and that while he refrained from attending services where his father officiated, the latter nevertheless preached to the largest congregation in Nevada, the attendees growing every week, no one who had ever heard him preach staying away from services the next Sunday. He added that it was generally admitted in Nevada that the elder Davis was the only preacher out there who could hold his congregation. This was explained by the fact that the Rev. Mr. Davis was the chaplain of the State penitentiary. Mr. Davis added, with true western modesty, that his father had hopes that he would some day be permitted to see his son a member of the congregation.

None Can Compare.

There are many so-called minstrel organizations on the road, but none compares with the big Haverly's Mastodon minstrels, which is the original and best of all, and comes to us this time with a beautiful scenic arrangement and a company of exceptional ability, headed by the peer of all comedians, George Witten.

Faulty Service.

A man with a kick came into the JOURNAL office last night and requested that a protest be entered against the electric light company for not maintaining a continuous service with its street cars. The citizen in question said five nights a week is a big average for some of the lights around town.

Ready for Business.

Sunderland & Ryan, the newly formed real estate firm, have opened an office in the Sunderland building. They have started an information bureau and messenger service. The JOURNAL predicts success for them in their venture.

Junior Class, Attention.

Menibus, the Confectioner will have flowers next Wednesday, from the Ebel conservatory, which he is agent for and is ready at all times to take orders for flowers of any kind.

The residence of Mr. Bullard was burglarized night before last.

Examinations are in progress at the University and high school.

## CHRISTMAS GOODS!

## Special Lines for the Holidays!

Smoking Jackets  
Fine Gloves,  
Neckties,  
Fine Underwear  
Socks,  
Handkerchiefs,  
Mufflers,  
Reefers,  
Initial Handkerchiefs,  
Plain White Silk Handkerchiefs,  
Fine Stetson Hats, all Colors.

Fine Overcoats.  
A Nice Pair of Pants,  
Fine Coats and Vests,  
Suits Made to Order.

Men's Fine Vici French Kid.  
And all of the Finest Goods Made.  
Ladies' French Vici Kid and Box Calf all Latest Styles.  
Misses' and Children's Shoes We Have in all Styles and Colors

## All at Reduced Prices at JOHN SUNDERLAND'S,

## Boers Still Moving.

Special to the JOURNAL.

LONDON, Dec. 18—Boers have invaded Cape Colony at two points near Aliwalnorth, beating back the British who opposed them. The sentiment is growing that a mistake was made in recalling Roberts.

## The Chinese Situation.

Special to the JOURNAL.

LONDON, Dec. 18—An important conference over the Chinese situation was had this morning. It is known that a settlement is near and England will be virtually forced to make concessions to the other powers.

## Volunteers Homeward Bound.

Special to the JOURNAL.

MANILA, Dec. 18—The first volunteer regiment to start home will be the thirty-seventh which sails for San Francisco Monday.

## Porto Rica Case.

Special to the JOURNAL.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18—Attorney General Griggs presented the government's side in the Porto Rica case today.

## Attended Lincoln.

Special to the JOURNAL.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18—Dr. Taft, who attended Lincoln after he was shot, died to-day.

## For the Holiday Trade Just Received

A select stock of first-class

Young Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits  
Of all styles and shades. Young men's, boys' and children's  
Cape Overcoats, Ulsters and Dress  
Overcoats.

## Just Arrived

A grand assortment of TIES of all styles.

Our assortment of SILK HANDKERCHIEFS, SILK MUFFLERS and SILK BRIEFERS is complete.

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## Golf Capes, Cloth Capes and Jackets

In endless variety and of the Latest Styles and Designs for Women Misses and Children.

## His Stock of House Furnishings

Such as Blankets, Curtains Tableclothes and Napkins is Complete.

## Fancy Goods and Gloves a Specialty.

## THE PALACE DRY GOODS and CARPET HOUSE

## Guide for Christmas Gifts.



Dress Goods, in Black and Colored, Waists, Silks and Waist Flannels, Caps, JACKETS, Tailor-Made Suits, WAISTS and FURS, Underskirts, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, PURSES, CORSETS, Umbrellas, Bureau Sets, Neckwear, Feather Boas, Blankets, Comforters, Lace Curtains, Table Cloths.

We Invite the Inspection of All the Above-Mentioned Goods and Guarantee Satisfaction in Every Instance.

LOOK AT OUR WINDOWS.

## The Palace Dry Goods House

## Christmas Goods for Young and Old

10 to 50 per cent Discount on former prices.

## 300 DOLLS, 50 DOLL BUGIES AND CARTS.

Special inducements to churches and schools on candies and tree ornaments.

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## Frank Golden Jewelry Co

Everything New

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MOST EXTENSIVE LINE OF

Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry, Cut Glass, Solid Silver, and Plated Ware in the State. Eyes Tested free of Charge, and Glasses adjusted in a Scientific Manner by the

Only Graduate Optician in the State.

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Here Just Ask for  
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Skates & Co. Schmitt's, 1118½  
Ed. Schmitt's for bargains in stoves,  
New groceries every day at Co-Op.  
store.

Clothes that fit are made by Harry  
McDuffie.

Go to F. C. Savage for plumbing and  
stove work.

Guns and ammunition cheapest at  
Ed. Schmitt's.

Hot lunches every noon at the Sac-  
ramento beer hall.

Azevedo, next Racket store, makes  
best tampons in town.

For rubbers, overshoes and um-  
brillas go to H. Leter.

Shoes, rubbers, overcoats and mit-  
tens at the Co-Op. store.

Co-operate with your pocket book  
and trade at Co-Op. store.

For good fitting suits to order see  
Harry McDuffie, the tailor.

Pringle & Carroll serve only the best  
drinks and cigars at the Snug.

Heating systems and sanitary  
plumbing done by F. C. Savage.

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Frijoles served on Thursdays and  
Saturdays for free lunch at Thyes, call  
and try them.

A fine line of gloves, handkerchiefs  
and neckwear for holiday gifts at Mrs.  
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variety and lowest prices; call and see,  
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The choicest of wines, liquors and  
cigars are sold at the New Palm, Robert  
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Ladies, examine Sunderland's fine  
line of Winter shoes and Oxfords.  
They are fine and the latest.

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business by selling good goods.

Go to the Frank Golden Jewelry Co.  
If your eyes bother you in any way at  
all and have them tested. It costs  
nothing.

The Washoe lunch counter is the  
place to go for a well cooked meal.  
They serve the best to be obtained on  
the market.

The Nevada Hardware and Supply  
Co.'s stock of lamps, stoves, skates and  
other seasonal goods is the most  
complete in the State. 1118½

The Nevada Hardware and Supply  
Co. has opened a complete sample  
room of up-to-date plumbing, gas and  
electric fixtures over store. 1118½

Tom and Jerry and Anheuser Bush  
beer are specialties at the Monarch.  
Anything else in the drinkable line  
you may happen to call for.

The Elite is headquarters for miners  
and prospectors. This is the place to  
swap yarns about bonanza strikes as  
well as indulge in a refreshing and  
socialable drink.

Harry Davis has received the holiday  
numbers of all the magazines. Some  
of them are accompanied by handsome  
lithographs. The Model is headquar-  
ters for Santa Claus.

G. Hoskins of the Central Undertak-  
ing company, has fitted up parlors on  
the first floor of the JOURNAL building.  
Everything in the undertaking line  
done well and at reasonable prices.

A large line of suitable goods to  
make Xmas gifts are to be had at our  
store. Prices that will not rob your  
pocket book is and will be our motto  
at all times. The best goods for the  
least money to make the heart glad  
this one day of the year. Novelty Dry  
Goods Store.

## Officers Elected.

Utopia Circle, No. 286, Women of  
Woodcraft, elected the following offi-  
cers last night:

Past Guardian Neighbor, Gertrude  
A. McCormack; Guardian Neighbor,  
Adda Leeper; Advisor, Emma Perkins;  
Clerk, Emma Bradshaw; Magician,  
Marian Drappo; Attendant, Lizzie  
Peck; Inner Sentinel, James Ladd;  
Outer Sentinel, J. M. McCormack;  
Captain of Guards, E. L. Thompson;  
E. L. Drappo, Mary Harley and Mar-  
garet Lane, managers.

Eight new members were initiated  
and there were twenty-seven applica-  
tions.

## Advertised Packages.

Following is a list of packages re-  
maining uncalled for in the Reno post-  
office:

Copeland, Mrs. M. Cuthman, Mrs. N.  
Kuster, E. H. Kerlin, Jas J.  
Levy, Marcus Morris, Mr. (garden)  
Williams, A. J. Yasam, F. H.  
H. P. Kratz, Postmaster.

## A Cheap Trip.

Both the Nevada-California-Oregon  
and Sierra Valley railway companies  
have granted half rates from Dec. 24  
to 29, inclusive, between any points on  
their roads.

THE COMING  
SEASON

Nevada Is Looking Forward to  
a Very Prosperous  
Year.

One of the best informed ranchers  
on the Truckee Meadows told a  
JOURNAL man yesterday that he antici-  
pated the coming summer to be  
one of the best seasons Nevada has  
ever experienced.

"Look at the prices of stock. Gov-  
ernment buyers have forced the price  
of fuzzi tails up to where fine blooded  
horses stood a few years ago. Cattle  
and sheep are regular twenty dollar  
pieces on the hoof."

"Then, we have better markets for  
our cereals, spuds and other farm prod-  
ucts than for a long time. Nevada is  
not retrograding. This decrease in  
population for which we are being  
enclosed at all over the country is  
really caused by the collapse of a few  
mining camps. The balance of the  
State, especially Washoe county, has  
forged ahead."

"What is going to give Nevada its  
biggest boost next season is the water  
supply. Already more snow has fallen  
upon the mountains than during the  
whole of last winter, or during any  
winter in the last four years, for that  
matter. The storms have drifted the  
snow deep into the gulches and not a  
bit of it is melting. Next season the  
ditches will be running full and there  
will be plenty left in the river for  
power purposes."

## PERSONAL

## MENTON.

Gossip About the Migrating Pub-  
lic as They Come and  
Go.

Dr. Stubbs is in San Francisco.  
Isaac Mathews is in from Pyramid.  
Sam Longabaugh is down from  
Empire.

M. E. Hamilton is a visitor from  
Genoa.

R. K. Morrison of Eureka is at the  
Riverside.

W. P. Hanson of Oroville was in town  
yesterday.

Dr. Hutchinson was up from Wad-  
sworth yesterday.

E. A. Roche of Gardnerville is a  
guest at the Arcade.

C. A. Martin of Amedee spent yes-  
terday in this city.

W. H. A. Pike has returned from a  
visit to Santa Rosa.

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Bodie, is spending a few days in this  
city.

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The Comstockers have enjoyed ex-  
cellent sleighing for the past week.

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postponed.

Twenty-two carloads of sheep and a  
carload of cattle comprised yesterday's  
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Reno Weddings.

Judge Trout's recent decision to the  
effect that marriage in Reno by  
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to burst forth in rhyme:

Sing a song of weddings,  
Following divorce.  
Trout has made decision;  
Law must take its course.  
Upper courts are putting  
Reno on the bum—  
Where is there a Gretta Green  
For divorcees to come?

Will Work the Ore.

J. H. Brown says he has purchased  
a crucible furnace and will smelt the  
New Jerusalem ore on the ground.  
He will work the mine all winter.  
Thirty or forty tons of ore will be  
shipped to Seiby's for a trial run.

Chime of Silver Bells.

That beautiful cantata, "A Chime of  
Silver Bells," will be presented Sunday  
evening in the Congregational church  
by the young people of that congrega-  
tion.

Fancy Work Sale.

The Woman's Guild of Trinity church will  
have articles suitable for Christmas gifts  
and other things. Sale will be held Wednes-  
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Our Representation.

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The copper mines of Mason valley  
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many men will be given employment  
the coming season.

## THIS WEEK

## CHRISTMAS GOODS!

We will have on display in our show window a large line of

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dom.

Edgar Smith is at this writing very  
probably in the snow sheds skipping  
along on a brakeman toward the land  
of sunshine, fruit and flowers.

Edgar Smith is one of the trio that  
are accused of having burglarized the  
girl's cottage a couple of weeks ago.  
They were arrested at Winnemucca  
and were brought to Reno by Con-  
stable McNeilly. At their preliminary  
hearing they were bound over to  
await action by the Grand Jury on the  
ground of burglary.

The Sheriff's office says that Smith  
feared his accomplices and was placed  
with the chain gang crowd, instead of  
being confined in the cage with the other two burglars.

Yesterday morning Phi Bates ap-  
plied for a bunch of prisoners to saw  
wood in the courthouse yard. Smith  
was among the lot given him. An  
hour later the burglar turned up miss-  
ing. While Bates' back was turned he  
made his exit through a hole in the  
woodshed. Half an hour later a posse  
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## A Civil Case.

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Holesworth and Reno Mill and Lumber  
Company versus W. J. Westerfield  
and wife. The trial is very tedious  
and will probably consume several  
days.

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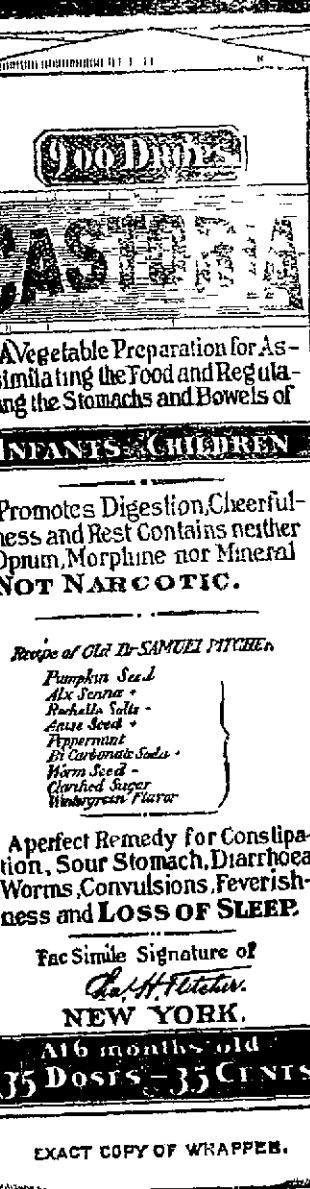
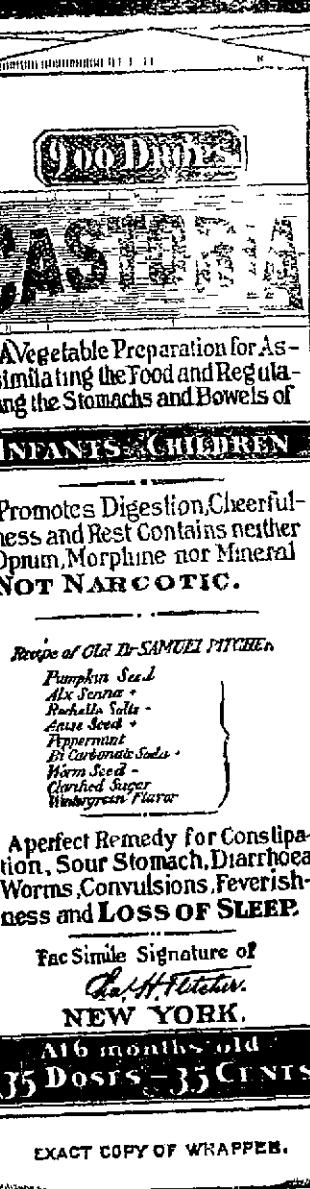
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